

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph on page 7, beginning at line 24, with the following:

A yet further alternative is to extend the range of the available PIDs by adding additional interface wires to the output of the device that is used to combine the transport streams together. The additional wires can also be required on any device that uses the output of the TS combiner. The wires are encoded with the TSID for duration of packet transfer between devices. The TSID can then be used in a similar fashion to the two previous methods described.